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Addendum to previous comments: Optimisim for rational behavior on the part of ambitious State AGs must necessarily fade as California continues its anit-business crusade by further enhancing its medieval postion re Microsoft settlement via the PG&E lawsuit filed this week. The agenda emerging seems to follow a model set some years back in Massachucets with only the targets differing. It is hoped that Judge Judge Kollar-Kotelly will end the opportunities for continued adventurism through swift and decisive action even in the face of a flawed result.